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This publication is based on reports received annually from the Official State Agencies in cooperating States. Such reports include all birds used in hatchery supply flocks under the supervision of the National Poultry Improvement Plan.

Table 1 shows the number of birds in hatchery supply flocks and the percentage distribution according to the matings in which they were used. These data indicate the trend in the type of chick demanded in the various States and Divisions. There is some variation in reporting the birds in crossmated flocks due to the fact that some flocks are crossmated during a portion of the year and mated as purebreds another portion. Moreover, in a number of States the birds in crossmated flocks are reported under the respective purebred headings. It will be noted that there is also some variation in the first year reported. Where data were not available for 1944-45, the nearest available year was used to show insofar as possible, the long-time trend within the State. The divisional totals are for the year 1955-56. Table 2 shows the same data in summary form for all States reporting during the past fifteen years.

Since the percentage of birds in crossmated flocks has increased to the point where more than one-third of all birds were mated for the production of crossbred chicks, the reports received from the various States were used to compute the number of each breed and variety used in both puremated and crossmated flocks. The percentage distribution based on this computation is shown in Table 3. For example, in 1955-56 the percentage shown for White Plymouth Rocks includes the 25.2% used in puremated flocks plus the percentage of White Plymouth Rock males and females used in crossmated flocks.

Table 1. Chickens in NPIP Hatchery Supply Flocks and Their Distribution by States and Varieties
1944-45, 1954-55 and 1955-56

| | | Percentage distribution by varieties | | | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|-----------|---------|----------|------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| Division | : | : | : | : | : | : | : | : | : |
| State and Year | : Total | : New | : White | : White | : Barred | : Rhode Is | : Cross | : Incross | : |
| | : Birds | : Hampshire | : Leghorn | : Rock | : Rock | : land Red | : mated | : mated | : Other |
| Maine | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 585,378 | 33.9 | .1 | 1.5 | 27.1 | 36.9 | .1 | - | .4 |
| 1954-55 | 1,454,155 | 6.0 | .3 | 63.0 | .1 | .2 | 17.1 | - | 13.3 |
| 1955-56 | 1,540,406 | .4 | 1.7 | 29.3 | - | .2 | 68.4 | - | - |
| New Hampshire | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 1,206,273 | 81.8 | .8 | 1.2 | 13.0 | 3.2 | - | - | .02 |
| 1954-55 | 1,322,877 | 47.7 | 2.0 | 33.4 | 5.9 | .7 | - | - | 10.3 |
| 1955-56 | 1,184,325 | 31.0 | 1.6 | 35.4 | 6.7 | 1.0 | - | - | 24.3 |
| Vermont | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 108,426 | 37.2 | .1 | .3 | 41.3 | 20.5 | - | - | .6 |
| 1954-55 | 252,350 | 5.0 | 4.6 | 10.0 | 4.1 | 5.0 | 70.6 | - | .7 |
| 1955-56 | 223,500 | 2.9 | 5.9 | 12.1 | - | 5.4 | 73.7 | - | - |
| Massachusetts | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 646,156 | 11.9 | 1.6 | 3.7 | 16.5 | 65.7 | .3 | - | .3 |
| 1954-55 | 796,470 | 4.3 | 7.9 | 24.1 | 6.7 | 24.1 | 30.5 | - | 2.4 |
| 1955-56 | 868,965 | 2.3 | 6.8 | 20.6 | 3.0 | 16.7 | 49.7 | - | .9 |
| Rhode Island | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 70,048 | 19.3 | 8.8 | 4.6 | 19.0 | 46.2 | .9 | - | 1.2 |
| 1954-55 | 71,093 | 13.1 | .7 | 19.3 | 14.1 | 10.5 | 33.9 | - | 8.4 |
| 1955-56 | 47,230 | - | .9 | 9.0 | 8.4 | 11.1 | 69.0 | - | 1.6 |
| Connecticut | | | | | | | | | |
| 1943-44 | 389,428 | 17.7 | 4.0 | 4.9 | 26.5 | 45.9 | .8 | - | .2 |
| 1954-55 | 663,713 | .9 | 2.7 | 57.2 | 3.5 | 2.6 | 28.3 | 4.0 | .8 |
| 1955-56 | 692,916 | 1.9 | 3.6 | 43.3 | 6.4 | 4.1 | 33.8 | 1.4 | 5.5 |
| New York | | | | | | | | | |
| 1947-48 | 671,166 | 19.4 | 49.9 | 9.2 | 10.7 | 10.4 | - | - | .4 |
| 1954-55 | 686,948 | 5.6 | 57.8 | 10.7 | 4.7 | 5.3 | 11.7 | 3.8 | .4 |
| 1955-56 | 457,296 | 3.7 | 61.2 | 7.1 | 5.8 | 6.6 | 12.3 | 3.1 | .2 |
| New Jersey | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 360,527 | 13.6 | 55.0 | 2.3 | 6.0 | 11.9 | 10.2 | - | 1.0 |
| 1954-55 | 946,981 | 3.0 | 76.4 | 1.9 | .7 | 2.2 | 13.2 | 2.2 | .4 |
| 1955-56 | 975,544 | 1.0 | 80.7 | 2.0 | .4 | 1.4 | 11.3 | 2.6 | .6 |
| Pennsylvania | | | | | | | | | |
| 1945-46 | 325,481 | 43.5 | 33.4 | 6.7 | 12.4 | 2.0 | 1.6 | - | .4 |
| 1954-55 | 1,456,619 | 13.0 | 27.3 | 6.9 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 37.2 | 6.2 | 6.4 |
| 1955-56 | 1,344,813 | 6.2 | 30.5 | 8.1 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 41.3 | 6.4 | 4.7 |
| North Atlantic | 7,334,995 | 7.1 | 22.1 | 21.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 | 36.0 | 1.9 | 5.5 |

| | | Percentage distribution by varieties | | | | | | | |
|------------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|---------|-------|--------|----------|-------|---------|-------|
| Division | Total | New | White | White | Barred | Rhode Is | Cross | Incross | |
| State and Year | Birds | Hampshire | Leghorn | Rock | Rock | land Red | mated | mated | Other |
| Ohio | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 1,188,955 | 13.9 | 32.3 | 29.4 | 12.2 | 3.3 | 2.4 | - | 6.5 |
| 1954-55 | 1,687,361 | 14.0 | 24.1 | 35.6 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 7.6 | 11.8 | 3.0 |
| 1955-56 | 1,449,985 | 9.9 | 27.0 | 29.8 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 12.6 | 15.1 | 2.2 |
| Indiana | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 1,765,911 | 5.4 | 23.5 | 27.9 | 30.6 | 3.6 | 3.3 | - | 5.7 |
| 1954-55 | 3,052,851 | 12.7 | 17.7 | 46.1 | 3.1 | 1.7 | 8.6 | 3.5 | 6.6 |
| 1955-56 | 2,794,273 | 8.2 | 18.4 | 44.8 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 15.9 | 4.6 | 4.0 |
| Illinois | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 1,534,631 | 15.4 | 18.0 | 41.9 | 11.7 | 2.6 | 1.5 | - | 8.9 |
| 1954-55 | 2,104,554 | 11.5 | 29.4 | 25.1 | 1.5 | .7 | 12.1 | 17.2 | 2.5 |
| 1955-56 | 1,821,857 | 7.8 | 28.0 | 24.1 | 1.5 | .8 | 12.7 | 22.9 | 2.2 |
| Michigan | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 186,125 | 7.9 | 52.1 | 12.1 | 19.0 | 6.0 | 1.5 | - | 1.4 |
| 1954-55 | 798,798 | 5.5 | 37.1 | 36.4 | 1.4 | 3.1 | 11.4 | 4.0 | 1.1 |
| 1955-56 | 724,464 | 2.7 | 40.1 | 32.5 | 1.0 | 2.6 | 13.7 | 6.2 | 1.2 |
| Wisconsin | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 286,263 | 6.8 | 74.3 | 12.9 | 1.1 | .6 | - | - | 4.3 |
| 1954-55 | 390,705 | 3.3 | 44.9 | 27.9 | - | 1.4 | 3.0 | 14.4 | 5.1 |
| 1955-56 | 413,184 | 2.7 | 41.2 | 30.8 | - | .1 | 5.6 | 18.4 | 1.2 |
| E. North Central | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 7,203,763 | 7.6 | 26.0 | 34.5 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 13.6 | 12.3 | 2.7 |
| Minnesota | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 1,294,229 | 4.6 | 67.4 | 9.0 | .6 | .7 | 15.9 | - | 1.8 |
| 1954-55 | 1,922,950 | 2.6 | 54.6 | 5.7 | .1 | .5 | 19.4 | 15.7 | 1.4 |
| 1955-56 | 1,874,522 | 1.4 | 52.1 | 4.2 | .1 | .4 | 21.7 | 19.0 | 1.1 |
| Iowa | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 915,418 | 10.4 | 34.7 | 26.0 | 4.9 | 2.3 | 14.9 | - | 6.8 |
| 1954-55 | 1,493,315 | 4.1 | 17.8 | 9.1 | .4 | 1.6 | 18.2 | 47.4 | 1.4 |
| 1955-56 | 1,627,160 | 1.7 | 13.4 | 7.6 | .2 | 1.2 | 27.1 | 48.4 | .4 |
| Missouri | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 2,056,359 | 9.1 | 28.9 | 24.8 | 9.2 | 7.0 | 5.3 | - | 15.7 |
| 1954-55 | 3,141,841 | 17.5 | 13.5 | 24.3 | .8 | 2.6 | 37.7 | 1.5 | 2.1 |
| 1955-56 | 2,315,848 | 9.6 | 14.3 | 21.5 | 1.0 | 2.9 | 44.4 | 3.8 | 2.5 |
| North Dakota | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 180,881 | 17.0 | 33.0 | 36.1 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 4.3 | - | 6.7 |
| 1954-55 | 190,434 | 10.2 | 30.0 | 26.3 | .5 | .2 | 29.2 | 1.6 | 2.0 |
| 1955-56 | 166,926 | 9.5 | 31.8 | 25.6 | .5 | .2 | 27.2 | 3.3 | 1.9 |
| South Dakota | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 201,448 | 18.4 | 30.6 | 32.0 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 12.0 | - | 2.7 |
| 1954-55 | 275,833 | 6.1 | 36.8 | 11.5 | .1 | 2.6 | 27.0 | 15.2 | .7 |
| 1955-56 | 290,692 | 3.6 | 33.2 | 7.8 | .1 | 4.8 | 26.1 | 23.3 | 1.1 |
| Nebraska | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 95,120 | 7.3 | 33.8 | 37.2 | 1.4 | 2.7 | 14.0 | - | 3.6 |
| 1954-55 | 562,019 | 11.3 | 19.8 | 7.1 | .2 | 3.5 | 24.1 | 32.8 | 1.2 |
| 1955-56 | 664,149 | 4.8 | 13.2 | 6.9 | .1 | 2.1 | 40.9 | 31.5 | .5 |
| Kansas | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 561,219 | 9.5 | 28.0 | 17.3 | 2.0 | 5.5 | 27.2 | - | 10.5 |
| 1954-55 | 638,976 | 9.2 | 15.0 | 11.3 | .3 | 2.7 | 47.3 | 10.5 | 3.7 |
| 1955-56 | 632,687 | 5.5 | 14.4 | 7.8 | .5 | 3.9 | 50.7 | 13.9 | 3.3 |
| W. North Central | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 7,571,984 | 4.9 | 24.5 | 11.4 | .4 | 1.9 | 34.2 | 21.2 | 1.5 |
| Delaware | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 485,426 | - | 1.0 | .4 | 3.3 | .8 | 94.4 | - | .03 |
| 1954-55 | 508,628 | 9.6 | .3 | 2.8 | - | .2 | 75.4 | - | 11.7 |
| 1955-56 | 424,177 | 1.9 | .4 | 14.9 | - | .3 | 75.3 | - | 7.2 |
| Maryland | | | | | | | | | |
| 1949-50 | 617,353 | 16.1 | 20.3 | 3.3 | 3.6 | 2.0 | 52.2 | - | 2.5 |
| 1954-55 | 519,456 | 23.9 | 1.9 | 24.6 | .1 | .2 | 49.1 | - | .2 |
| 1955-56 | 486,402 | 8.9 | 5.9 | 21.6 | .3 | .5 | 62.1 | - | .7 |

| | | Percentage distribution by varieties | | | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|---------|-------|--------|----------|-------|---------|-------|
| Division | Total | New | White | White | Barred | Rhode Is | Cross | Incross | |
| State and Year | Birds | Hampshire | Leghorn | Rock | Rock | land Red | mated | mated | Other |
| Virginia | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 649,192 | 50.3 | 12.8 | 1.0 | 17.5 | .5 | 17.7 | - | .2 |
| 1954-55 | 1,248,220 | 61.9 | 3.5 | 16.3 | .3 | .8 | 15.6 | .7 | .9 |
| 1955-56 | 1,141,917 | 6.4 | 2.7 | 20.8 | .1 | 1.3 | 66.2 | 1.0 | 1.5 |
| West Virginia | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 140,857 | 45.7 | 18.0 | 6.7 | 6.2 | 4.4 | 13.5 | - | 5.5 |
| 1954-55 | 230,418 | 47.5 | 10.8 | 19.0 | .9 | 2.0 | 18.1 | - | 1.7 |
| 1955-56 | 231,986 | 11.4 | 8.2 | 21.2 | .5 | 1.6 | 55.4 | - | 1.7 |
| North Carolina | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 509,770 | 42.3 | 10.3 | 2.1 | 26.7 | 5.3 | 11.9 | - | 1.4 |
| 1954-55 | 2,364,214 | 13.2 | 2.3 | 71.7 | .5 | 6.9 | 4.9 | - | .5 |
| 1955-56 | 2,330,715 | 4.0 | 1.6 | 53.2 | .5 | 4.5 | 31.4 | 4.8 | - |
| South Carolina | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 51,955 | 36.3 | 1.7 | 10.3 | 21.5 | 24.6 | 3.3 | - | 2.3 |
| 1954-55 | 228,679 | 10.1 | 6.7 | 56.3 | 1.2 | 8.3 | 17.1 | - | .3 |
| 1955-56 | 223,842 | 4.4 | 4.9 | 29.1 | .6 | 9.2 | 51.6 | - | .2 |
| Georgia | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 309,645 | 27.6 | 3.5 | .7 | 9.4 | 11.4 | 47.2 | - | .2 |
| 1954-55 | 1,790,179 | 9.8 | 4.3 | 52.6 | .03 | 1.5 | 28.4 | 3.0 | .4 |
| 1955-56 | 2,179,186 | 2.6 | 4.2 | 30.7 | - | .9 | 55.7 | 3.4 | 2.5 |
| Florida | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 100,177 | 70.9 | 21.9 | 1.5 | .8 | 4.0 | - | - | .9 |
| 1954-55 | 259,297 | 27.1 | 35.2 | 18.7 | - | 2.4 | 8.2 | 4.3 | 4.1 |
| 1955-56 | 235,991 | 13.9 | 41.6 | 18.9 | .5 | 2.7 | 13.7 | 8.4 | .3 |
| South Atlantic | 7,254,216 | 4.8 | 4.4 | 34.1 | .2 | 2.4 | 49.6 | 3.0 | 1.5 |
| Kentucky | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 399,627 | 17.9 | 7.5 | 32.0 | 22.3 | 12.3 | 1.4 | - | 6.6 |
| 1954-55 | 712,799 | 33.2 | 5.3 | 47.7 | 3.1 | .7 | 7.8 | .5 | 1.7 |
| 1955-56 | 578,095 | 16.2 | 4.8 | 51.7 | 3.8 | .6 | 20.5 | 1.6 | .8 |
| Tennessee | | | | | | | | | |
| 1943-44 | 263,608 | 18.9 | 14.4 | 14.3 | 27.7 | 9.5 | 1.0 | - | 14.2 |
| 1954-55 | 457,384 | 23.6 | 8.6 | 38.9 | 1.6 | 3.5 | 19.4 | 3.0 | 1.4 |
| 1955-56 | 358,044 | 6.5 | 11.6 | 32.1 | 2.1 | 3.7 | 37.3 | 5.2 | 1.5 |
| Alabama | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 167,798 | 63.1 | 21.0 | 1.8 | 7.3 | 3.6 | - | - | 3.2 |
| 1954-55 | 637,512 | 25.9 | 10.7 | 39.1 | .1 | 3.2 | 20.0 | .7 | .3 |
| 1955-56 | 674,452 | 4.2 | 7.5 | 44.1 | .04 | 1.4 | 41.8 | .8 | .1 |
| Mississippi | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 56,887 | 4.3 | 14.1 | 24.3 | 17.9 | 15.7 | 9.3 | - | 14.4 |
| 1954-55 | 393,857 | 53.7 | 4.2 | 30.9 | .4 | 1.8 | 8.7 | .1 | .2 |
| 1955-56 | 466,204 | 11.9 | 5.1 | 44.3 | .2 | 1.0 | 37.4 | - | .1 |
| Arkansas | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 104,480 | 12.9 | 9.2 | 17.8 | 20.9 | 3.0 | - | - | 36.2 |
| 1954-55 | 507,212 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 28.8 | .1 | - | 63.8 | - | 4.7 |
| 1955-56 | 564,549 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 14.8 | .2 | .03 | 73.9 | - | 6.5 |
| Louisiana | | | | | | | | | |
| 1943-44 | 124,499 | 10.4 | 13.5 | 17.0 | 18.8 | 19.9 | 1.2 | - | 19.2 |
| 1954-55 | 272,454 | 44.9 | 3.6 | 23.2 | .7 | .6 | 25.9 | - | 1.1 |
| 1955-56 | 239,904 | 16.9 | 4.2 | 31.2 | .8 | .5 | 45.4 | .8 | .2 |
| Oklahoma | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 356,560 | .8 | 27.6 | 23.7 | 6.3 | 9.6 | 14.1 | - | 17.9 |
| 1954-55 | 321,416 | 24.7 | 18.1 | 15.4 | .5 | .6 | 32.1 | 2.1 | 6.5 |
| 1955-56 | 279,121 | 15.5 | 21.8 | 17.7 | .4 | .4 | 37.7 | 1.2 | 5.3 |
| Texas | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 238,962 | .9 | 60.0 | 2.6 | 7.3 | 7.7 | 9.8 | - | 11.7 |
| 1954-55 | 489,635 | 9.1 | 25.3 | 28.2 | .2 | - | 8.8 | 28.1 | .3 |
| 1955-56 | 417,055 | 2.1 | 23.5 | 25.2 | .1 | - | 10.2 | 38.8 | .1 |
| South Central | 3,577,424 | 8.6 | 9.1 | 34.4 | 1.0 | .9 | 38.6 | 5.6 | 1.8 |

| | | Percentage distribution by varieties | | | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|---------|-------|--------|----------|-------|---------|-------|
| Division | Total | New | White | White | Barred | Rhode Is | Cross | Incross | |
| State and Year | Birds | Hampshire | Leghorn | Rock | Rock | land Red | mated | mated | Other |
| Montana | | | | | | | | | |
| 1945-46 | 26,533 | 23.4 | 25.6 | 12.0 | 1.8 | .9 | 23.4 | - | 12.9 |
| 1954-55 | 52,529 | 37.0 | 26.4 | 11.2 | - | 1.3 | 14.7 | 9.4 | - |
| 1955-56 | 38,088 | 32.1 | 31.5 | 13.9 | 1.2 | - | 21.3 | - | - |
| Idaho | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 69,903 | 39.1 | 35.7 | 5.8 | 3.5 | 2.3 | 10.2 | - | 3.4 |
| 1954-55 | 103,592 | 32.4 | 40.4 | 6.1 | .7 | 2.3 | 17.5 | - | .6 |
| 1955-56 | 91,496 | 26.9 | 43.7 | 4.7 | 1.0 | 2.1 | 18.5 | 2.4 | .7 |
| Wyoming | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 7,109 | 1.4 | 54.6 | 29.5 | - | 8.1 | - | - | 6.4 |
| 1954-55 | 4,449 | 23.2 | 32.3 | 27.5 | - | - | 17.0 | - | - |
| 1955-56 | 3,186 | 26.8 | 23.5 | 25.8 | - | - | 23.9 | - | - |
| Colorado | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 160,720 | 6.7 | 36.9 | 22.1 | 3.2 | 7.4 | 11.4 | - | 12.3 |
| 1954-55 | 90,303 | 23.5 | 23.4 | 21.1 | .4 | .7 | 14.3 | 15.0 | 1.6 |
| 1955-56 | 72,631 | 12.1 | 23.0 | 25.7 | .3 | .7 | 18.5 | 18.1 | 1.6 |
| New Mexico | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 4,151 | - | 100.0 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1954-55 | 9,180 | 20.0 | 15.5 | 4.6 | - | - | 59.1 | - | .8 |
| 1955-56 | 5,037 | 18.7 | 23.9 | 6.4 | - | - | 49.7 | - | 1.3 |
| Arizona | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 15,990 | 35.0 | 43.3 | - | 1.6 | 11.5 | 8.7 | - | - |
| 1954-55 | 4,347 | 13.7 | 26.9 | - | - | 26.1 | 19.3 | 14.0 | - |
| 1955-56 | 9,252 | 9.2 | 49.3 | - | - | 6.7 | 8.1 | 26.7 | - |
| Utah | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 55,716 | 8.0 | 88.8 | .5 | .4 | 1.0 | - | - | 1.3 |
| 1954-55 | 69,874 | 19.8 | 66.0 | 4.7 | - | - | .2 | 7.1 | 2.2 |
| 1955-56 | 89,627 | 11.1 | 48.6 | .5 | - | - | 13.4 | 24.5 | 1.9 |
| Washington | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 140,892 | 43.5 | 47.1 | .2 | .3 | 8.9 | - | - | - |
| 1954-55 | 473,484 | 22.8 | 30.8 | 11.1 | .1 | 5.9 | 26.1 | 1.4 | 1.8 |
| 1955-56 | 441,115 | 9.6 | 42.7 | 14.9 | .1 | 5.3 | 26.5 | .1 | .8 |
| Oregon | | | | | | | | | |
| 1944-45 | 304,137 | 51.8 | 28.0 | 1.2 | 3.8 | 7.7 | 5.5 | - | 2.0 |
| 1954-55 | 593,267 | 23.2 | 12.3 | 7.0 | .3 | 8.3 | 45.7 | 2.8 | .4 |
| 1955-56 | 533,622 | 11.1 | 17.6 | 8.2 | .3 | 5.8 | 55.3 | - | 1.7 |
| California | | | | | | | | | |
| 1948-49 | 1,250,945 | 39.0 | 55.4 | - | 1.5 | 1.1 | - | - | 3.0 |
| 1954-55 | 813,108 | 23.7 | 36.9 | 2.0 | .1 | 1.0 | 27.4 | 5.1 | 3.8 |
| 1955-56 | 655,254 | 11.7 | 31.4 | 9.2 | .01 | .6 | 30.9 | 14.2 | 2.0 |
| Western | 1,939,308 | 12.2 | 31.3 | 10.3 | .2 | 3.2 | 34.6 | 6.7 | 1.5 |

Table 2. Summary of Breed Distribution in NPIP for all States reporting, by years, 1941-42 to 1955-56.

| Year | States | Total Birds | Percentage of | | | | | | | |
|---------|--------|----------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------|
| | | | New Hampshire | White Leghorn | White Rock | White Barred Rock | Rhode Is- land Red | Cross- mated | Incross- mated | Other |
| 1941-42 | 33 | 10,712,027 | 21.2 | 24.1 | 15.6 | 16.2 | 12.5 | 2.0 | * | 8.4 |
| 1942-43 | 40 | 15,780,980 | 19.2 | 26.6 | 18.3 | 15.7 | 8.9 | 3.0 | * | 8.3 |
| 1943-44 | 42 | 20,331,999 | 19.4 | 25.9 | 19.7 | 13.9 | 8.3 | 5.5 | * | 7.3 |
| 1944-45 | 39 | 17,573,321 | 20.6 | 25.8 | 17.5 | 12.4 | 8.0 | 9.8 | * | 5.9 |
| 1945-46 | 32 | 20,256,904 | 23.8 | 23.1 | 17.0 | 11.4 | 7.7 | 11.3 | * | 5.7 |
| 1946-47 | 38 | 24,490,346 | 23.4 | 25.4 | 17.4 | 10.0 | 6.5 | 11.1 | * | 6.2 |
| 1947-48 | 42 | 25,148,247 | 25.9 | 24.7 | 15.2 | 10.2 | 6.8 | 12.4 | * | 4.8 |
| 1948-49 | 44 | 26,458,372 | 31.9 | 25.7 | 13.2 | 7.8 | 5.6 | 11.9 | * | 3.9 |
| 1949-50 | 47 | 36,195,375 | 28.8 | 21.9 | 10.4 | 6.3 | 4.3 | 15.1 | * | 3.2 |
| 1950-51 | 47 | 33,804,603 | 38.9 | 21.6 | 10.1 | 5.8 | 4.1 | 16.4 | * | 3.1 |
| 1951-52 | 47 | 37,559,597 | 41.4 | 18.9 | 11.9 | 4.0 | 3.3 | 14.3 | 3.4 | 2.8 |
| 1952-53 | 47 | 33,847,682 | 36.2 | 20.1 | 14.8 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 16.0 | 4.0 | 2.2 |
| 1953-54 | 47 | 36,027,365 | 25.4 | 18.9 | 23.1 | 2.2 | 2.7 | 19.7 | 5.1 | 2.9 |
| 1954-55 | 47 | 37,066,336 | 16.0 | 19.2 | 29.5 | 1.3 | 2.7 | 21.2 | 7.0 | 3.1 |
| 1955-56 | 47 | 34,881,690 | 6.7 | 18.9 | 25.2 | 1.2 | 2.3 | 34.0 | 9.1 | 2.6 |

Table 3. Breed Distribution in NPIP based on males and females in breeding pens, regardless of whether mated as purebreds or crossbreds.

| Year | States | Total No. of Birds | Percentage of | | | | | | | |
|---------|--------|-----------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|-------|
| | | | New Hampshire | White Leghorn | White Rock | White Barred Rock | Rhode Is- land Red | Total of 5 Breeds | Incross- mated | Other |
| 1952-53 | 47 | 33,847,682 | 45.0 | 22.9 | 15.0 | 4.0 | 3.5 | 90.4 | 4.0 | 5.6 |
| 1953-54 | 47 | 36,027,365 | 33.5 | 22.6 | 25.1 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 88.8 | 5.1 | 6.1 |
| 1954-55 | 47 | 37,066,336 | 28.2 | 21.7 | 31.5 | 2.5 | 3.3 | 87.2 | 7.0 | 5.8 |
| 1955-56 | 47 | 34,881,690 | 19.0 | 21.2 | 36.6 | 2.4 | 3.1 | 82.3 | 9.1 | 8.6 |

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